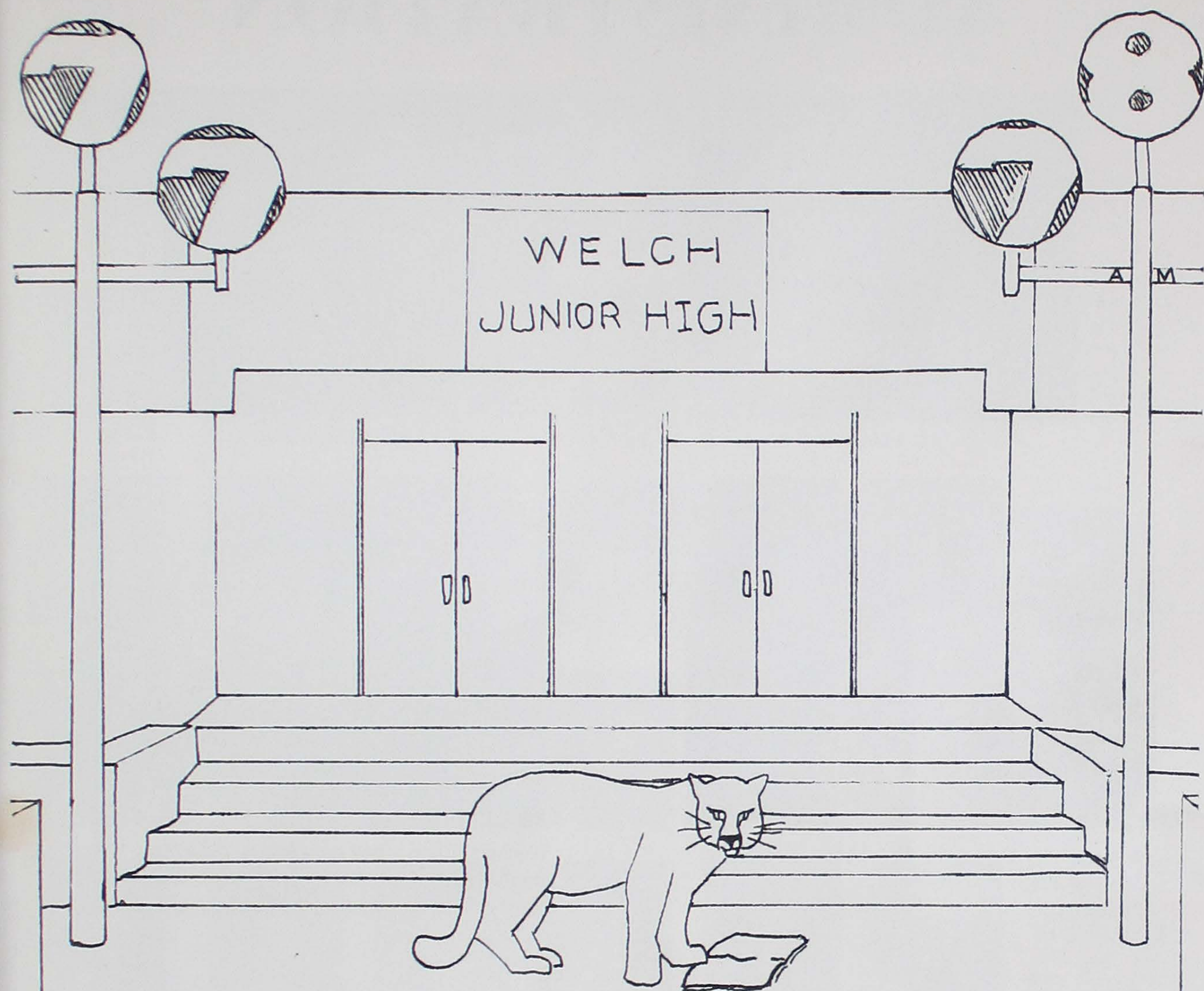


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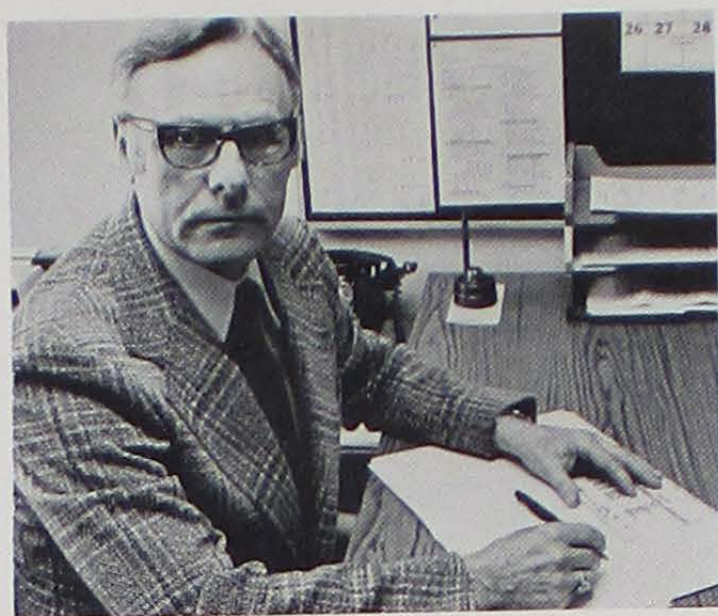
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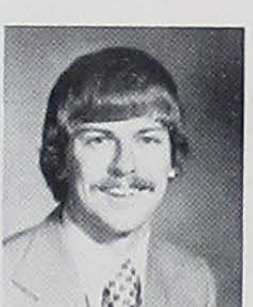
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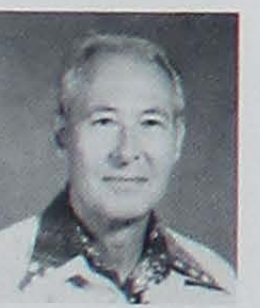
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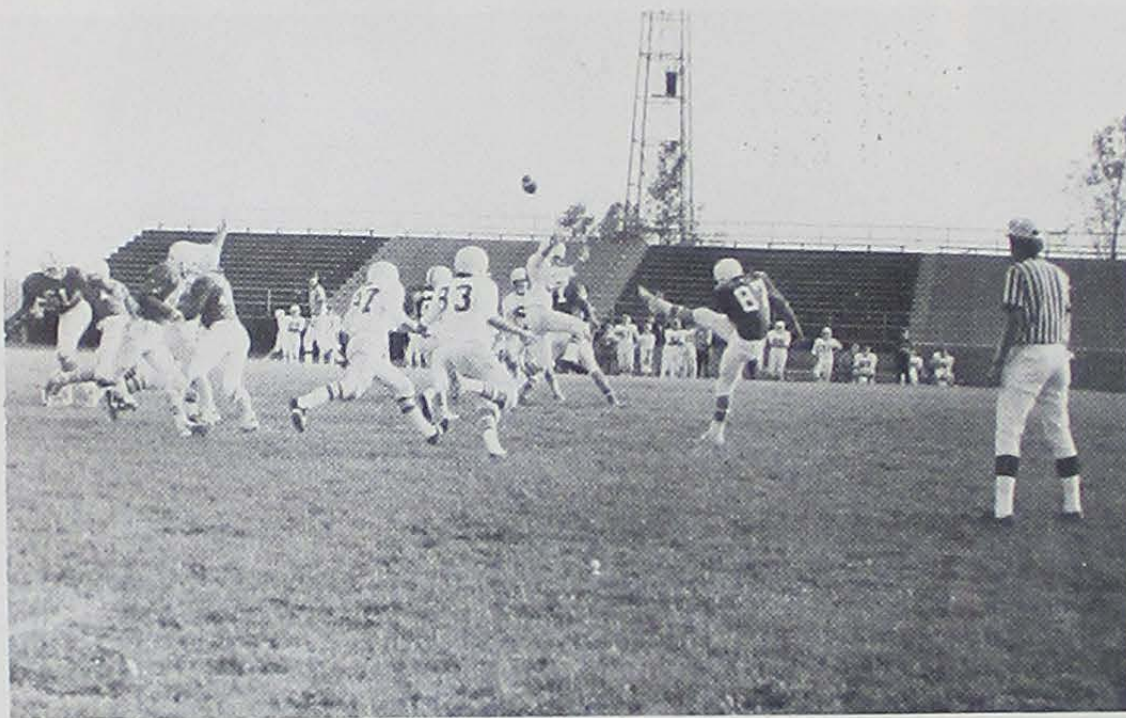


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TEMPEST'S TRIBUTES

The Tempest staff would like to dedicate the 1977-78 issue of the Tempest to Mrs. Pat Dale. Mrs. Dale died in a tragic automobile accident in November. She had been at Welch since 1965, leaving the school for two years when she lived in northern Iowa.

As a secretary in the student services' office, Mrs. Dale was always ready to help anyone, and she was a friend to all. Her job was to keep student records and to assist the counselors as a secretary. She did much more than this. Mrs. Dale was a good listener for the student with a problem and cheered us up with her good humor many times. We only hoped that she enjoyed working here as much as we enjoyed having her at Welch.

We dedicate the Tempest to her willingness to do more than was asked, to listen, to laugh, and to care about others.



Mrs. Dale



Mrs. Chipman

Mrs. Chipman is retiring after eight years as a resource specialist in the Welch I.M.C. Her favorite part of teaching is "the kids." One of our favorite parts of the I.M.C. is her! In the time she's been at Welch she has shown us how to find information in our I.M.C. and has shown us the great number of resources available to us. Mrs. Chipman worked with many teachers and helped them to use I.M.C. resources in their units of study. Her job also included giving book "book talks" to classes. Mrs. Chipman always made a good effort to find books that would appeal to all students.

After retiring Mrs. Chipman plans to pursue many hobbies, which include art, Bible history, museums, handiwork, and her grandchildren. Who knows? Maybe she'll even write a book! The Welch students wish her a happy future.

Leaving the world of students and numbers this year is Mr. Herb Ritland. He has taught for thirty-nine years, twenty-nine of those years at Welch. While at Welch Mr. Ritland taught ninth grade geometry, ninth and eighth grade algebra, and seventh grade math. Mr. Ritland's favorite part of teaching is "the everyday association with students and teachers." For the past few years Mr. Ritland has found special enjoyment in teaching seventh graders and has been an important part of their introduction to junior high. Along with his classroom responsibilities he has taught interest clubs in aeronautics and caning and refinishing chairs. Mr. Ritland seldom misses attending a home athletic event and has been one of the first to volunteer for the "extras," like being a referee for softball games. It is this kind of support and the respect he commands in the classroom that has made so many Welch students say, "Mr. Ritland is a great teacher."

Although he doesn't have any specific plans for his retirement, he does have many hobbies, which include fishing, working with antiques, and working around his farm. Mr. Ritland also plans to do a bit of traveling next year. Welch students would like to wish him well with his future plans and to thank Mr. Ritland for all he gave to Welch and to the students he taught.



Mr. Ritland

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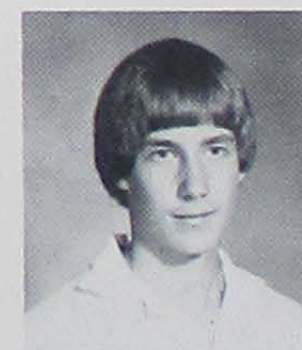
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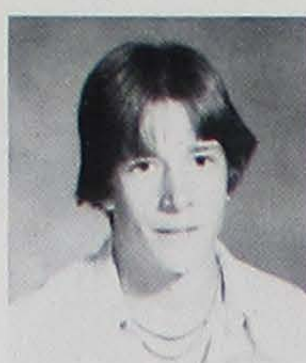


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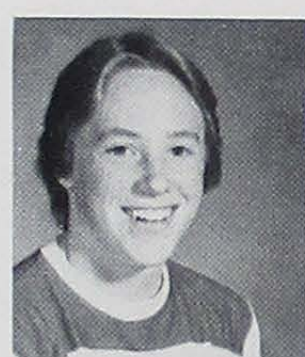
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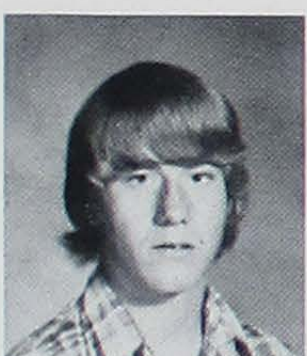
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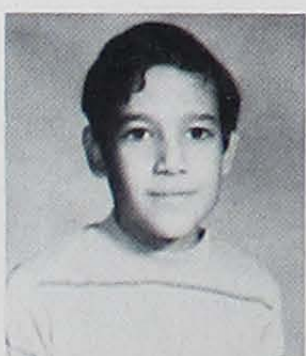
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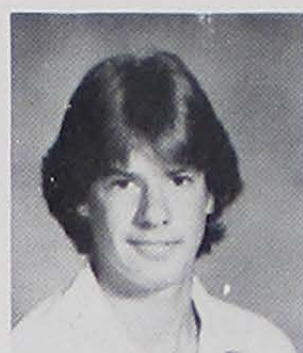
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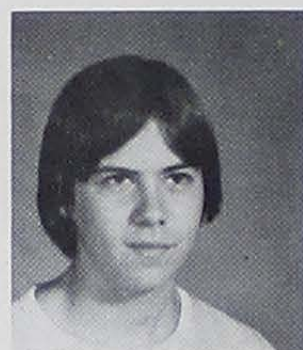
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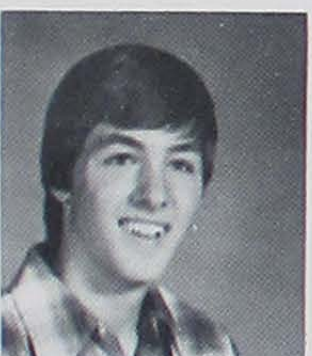
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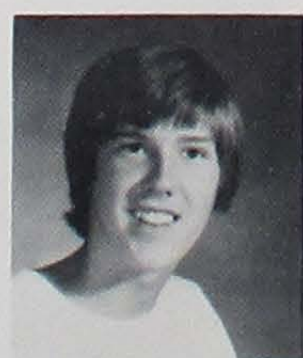
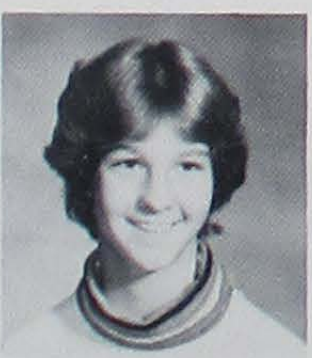
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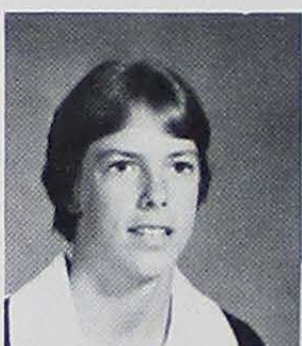
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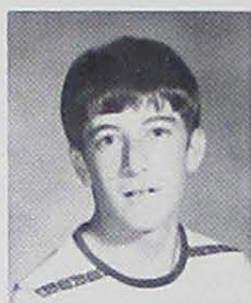


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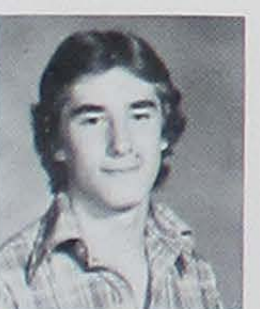
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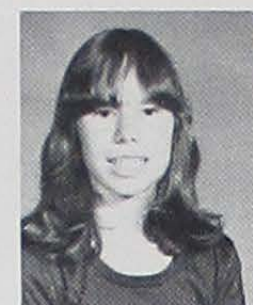
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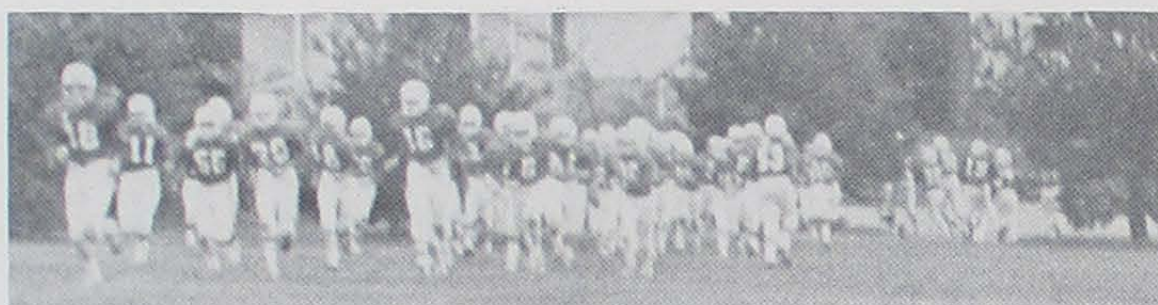
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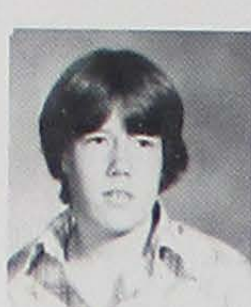
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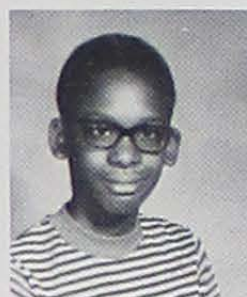


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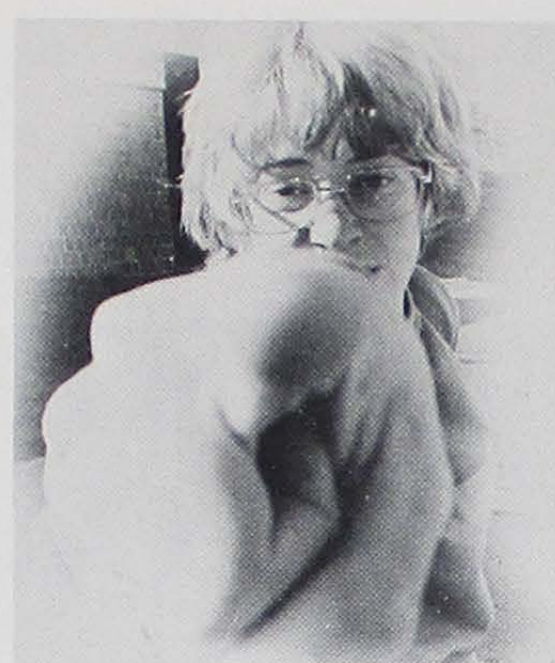
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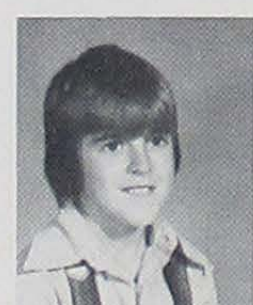
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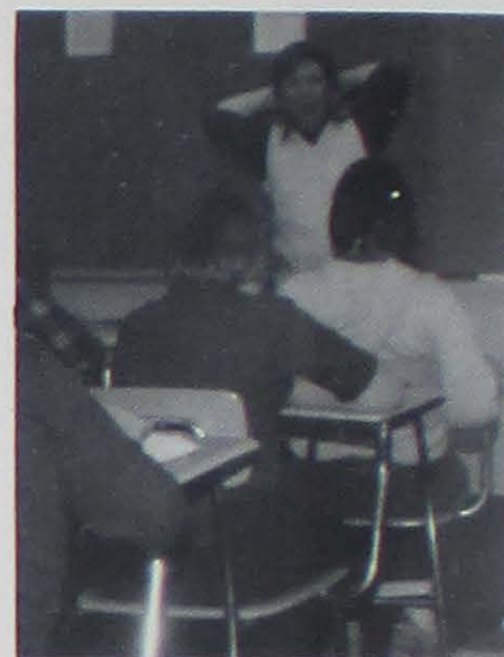


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NINTH FOOTBALL



Coaches Bredeson and Stromen.

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Newton Berg	24	14
Jefferson	22	0
Anson	22	14
Miller	20	28
Newton Central	35	28
Lenihan	10	12
Reserve		
Ames Central B	30	8
State Center	20	22



Eighth Grade Football



Front row, left to right; Steff Nass, Robbie Knight, Greg Sims, Riley Geiffen, Chris Schable, Dan Carney, Troy Lyscio, Carlos Ribeiro, Doug Koffman, Todd Maxwell, Kurt Konik. Row 2, left to right; Brian Cook, Chris Rudi, Todd Jahr, Jim Hofler, Antwan Clinton, Steve Summerfelt, Jeff Cicci, Mike Sjobakken, Ron Kahler. Row 3, left to right; Don Ward, Brian Shabus, Greg Doyle, Greg Jackson, Jim Munsen, Chris Flynn, Marcus Martin, Rick Pruhs, Robbie Hannusch. Row 4, left to right; Ben Gilchrist, Todd Stillwell, Dave Pavlat, Jeff Wolters, Tim Richardson, Jeff Glock, Norman Rutz, Nat Wolins. Row 5, left to right; Steve Metzger, John Cheville, Jeff Wearth, David Ross, David Downs, Tyler Thoen, Andy Rosauer, Doug Parsons, Mark Joenson. Last Row, left to right; Mr. Walton, Manager Carla Stevens, Coach Lippe.

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Welch Junior High is very proud of their eighth grade football team because they went undefeated this year. Coach Lippe commented that they were the first team of eighth grade students to do this in Welch's history. The team plans to continue this record in their ninth grade season.



Coach Schneider



Coach Lippe

Seventh Grade Football

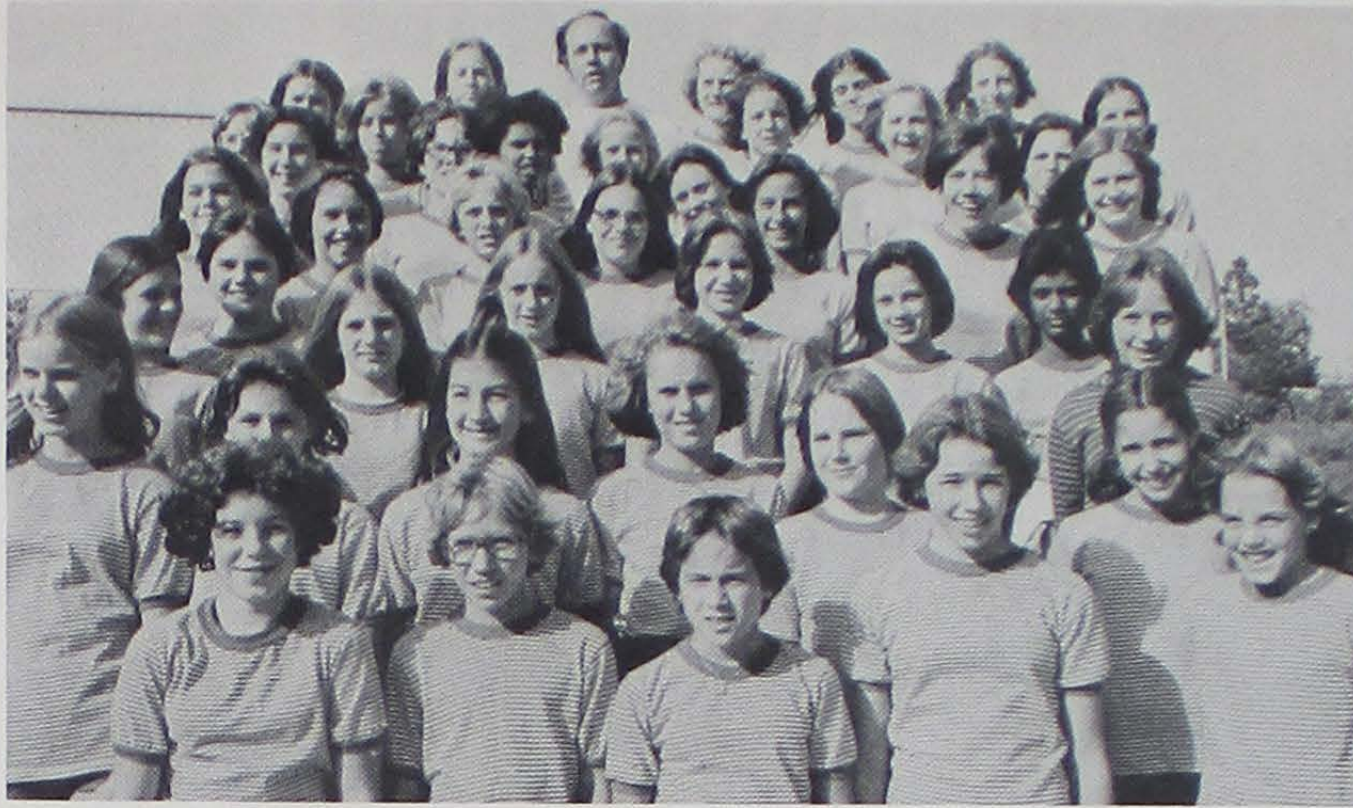


"The 7th grade had a great year. The players were extremely easy to work with because they had a great attitude. They were rugged football players, but at the same time they were gentlemen. II—Coach Adams

Welch Wins State Physical Fitness Award



Softball



Seventh Grade Softball. Back row, left to right; Sheila Madden, Mr. Middleton, Kathy Keenan, Jill Atherly, Kathey Wishart, Gretchen Elder. Second row; Denise Cakerice, Shari Nelson, Danielle Clinton, Joyce Huse, Jane Spurgeon, Martha Zingg, Tina Downs. Third row; Julie Hime, Cindy Larson, Erin Groffiths, Julie Lemish, Karen Sevde. Fourth row; Kelly Burrell, Julie Hartman, Lynn Johnson, Mary Ratcliff, Sally Hammond. Fifth row; Kim Vansickle, Kathy Hockett, Shelly Lamb, Sonia Mcinnisy, Patty Cook, Arlis Hadwiger, Sasha Solomon, Susan Saddoris. Sixth row; Michelle Bouge, Robin Strombly, Molly Homer, Jennifer Butterfield, Jill Rasmusson, Stefanie Greenfield. Front row; Jane Dorr, Barb Lorrent, Tori Stillwell, Jennifer Jenson, Susan Long.



Eighth and Ninth grade Softball. Back row, left to right; Michele McKinney, Mary Thompson, Selin Suarez, Karen Burgason, Ann Harris, Julie Jenson, Julie Fenton, Jennifer Martin, Bonnie Hammer, Sheila Coady, Jane Gradwohl. Fifth row; Carrie Williams, Carol Bachmann, Alison Elder, Debbie Frye, Susan Keenan. Fourth row; Carla Kaerberle, Stacey Miller, Mary Gruber, Gwynne Smith, Sally Shaver, DeeAnn Benson. Third row; Jackie Courteau, Mary Martin, Debbie Griener, Berna Brown, Joan Dunham, Ann Verhoeven. Second row, Tammy Walhoff, Julie Foell, Shelly Sams, Diane Peters, Sabrina Madsen, Nancy Johanns, Sue Koellner. Front row; Karen Jennings, Janet Glotfelty, Elizabeth Hotchkiss, Michelle Mengling, Beth Stromen, Cara Bredeson, Shawn Alford, Cheryl Raper.

Mr. Middleton was the coach for the seventh grade softball. He felt that the girls showed good progress during the program and that there were many skilled athletes. Coach Duffy said the eighth and ninth softball teams seemed to be getting better each year. The participation this year was the highest ever. The team remained victorious over all.

GYMNASTICS



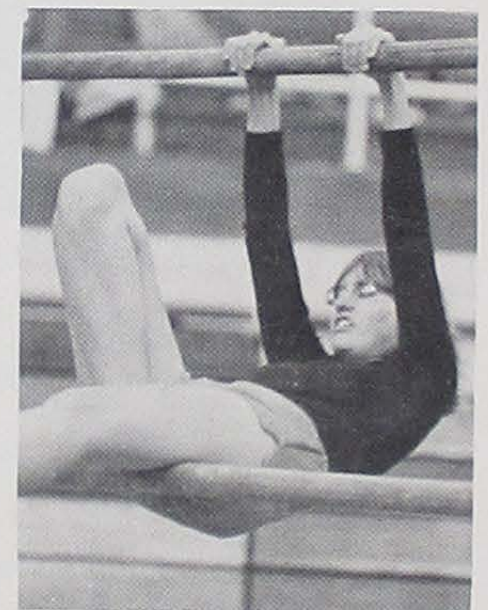
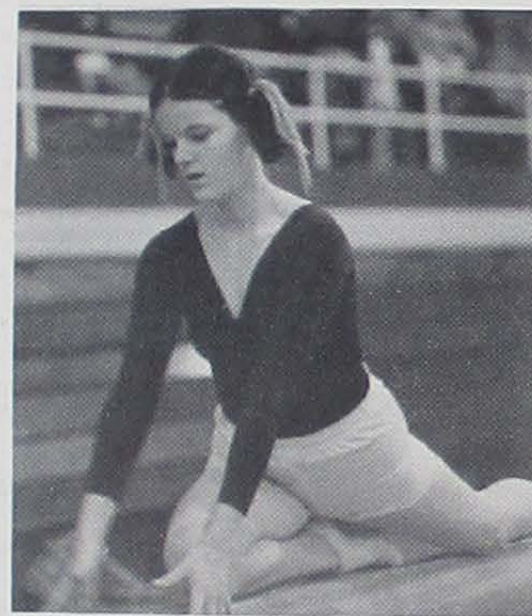
Advanced



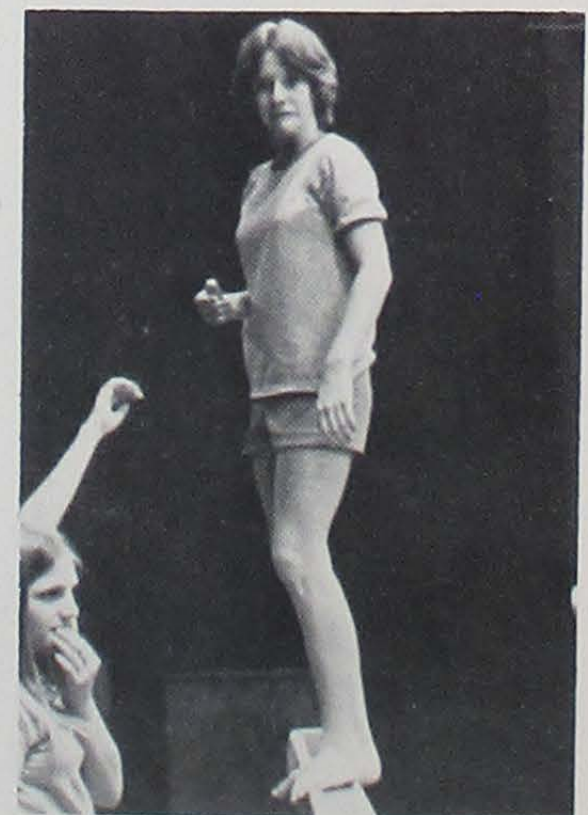
Coach Smith



Coach White



Beginning



EIGHTH AND NINTH



VOLLEY

SEVENTH GRADE

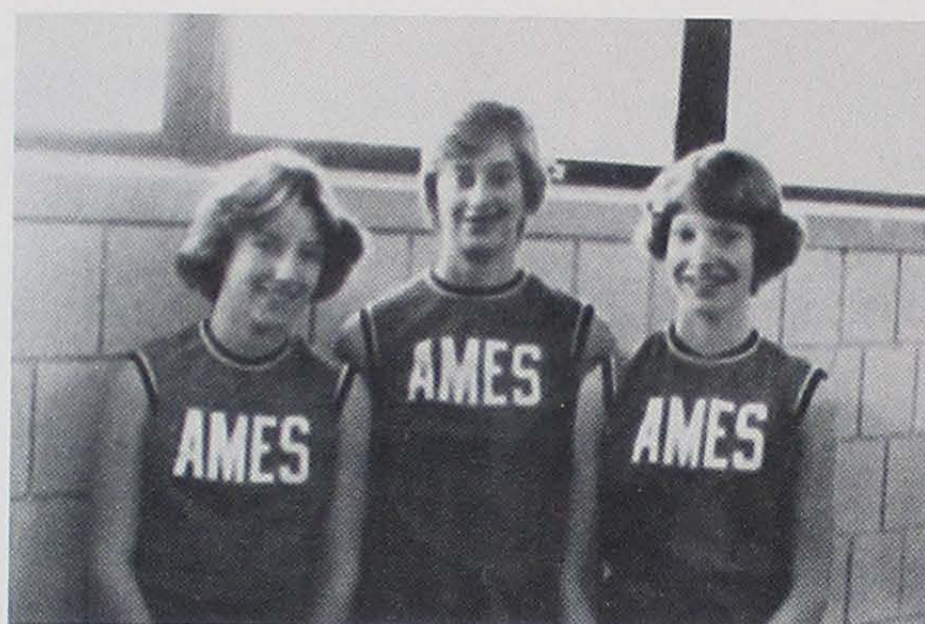
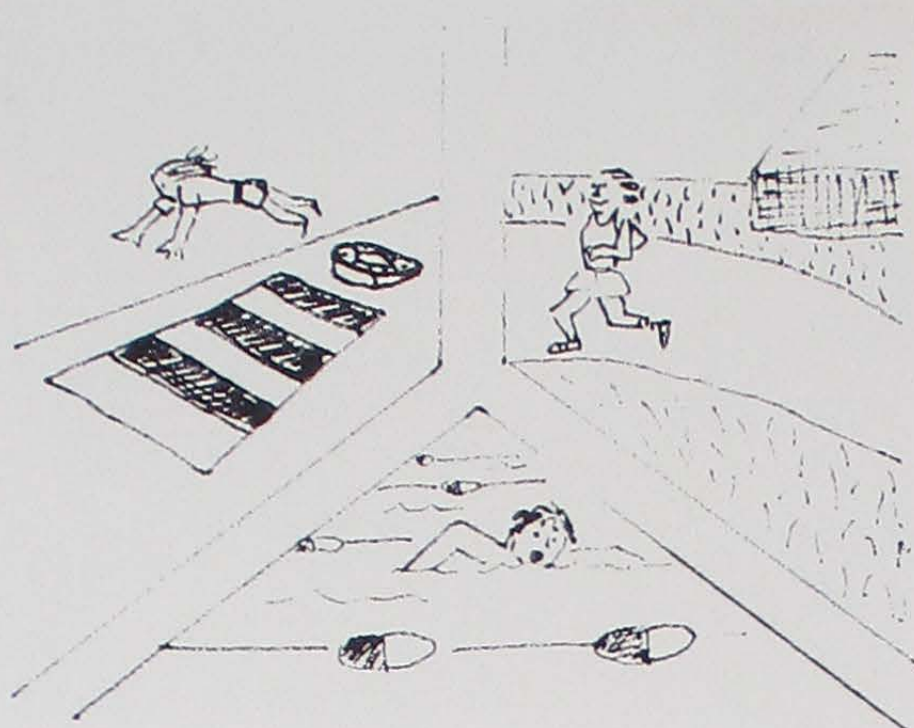




Gymnast Lana Marty



Ames High Gymnasts. Left to right: Shanna Scharf, Lana Marty, Leanne Theile, Allison Elder.



Ames High Cross Country. Left to right: Kim Lemkuhl, Laurie Pletcher, Margit Sletten.

A.H.S.

SPORTS



What do you think of Ames High Sports' Practices?



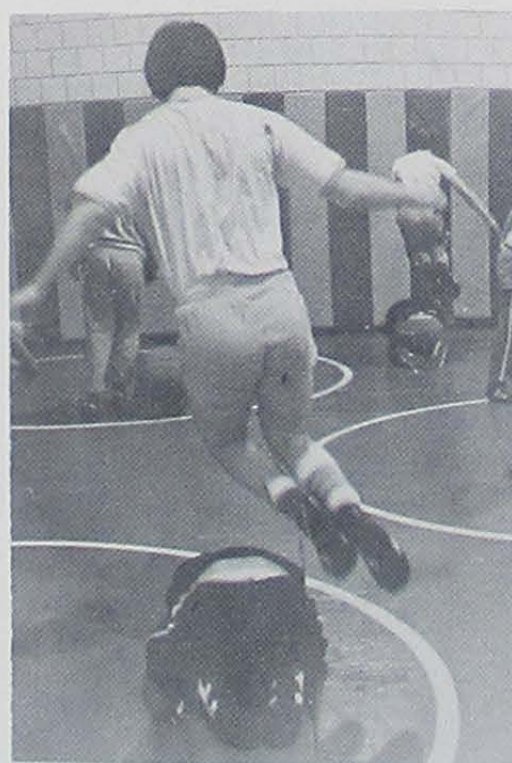
Ames High Swimmers. Back row; left to right: David Gillette, Michelle Robinson, Suzy Skal-ecke-Chaplik, Front row, left to right: Susan Rat-cliff, diver Missy Karas, Duree Warren. Not pictured: Kelly Perisho, Mark Sjobakken.

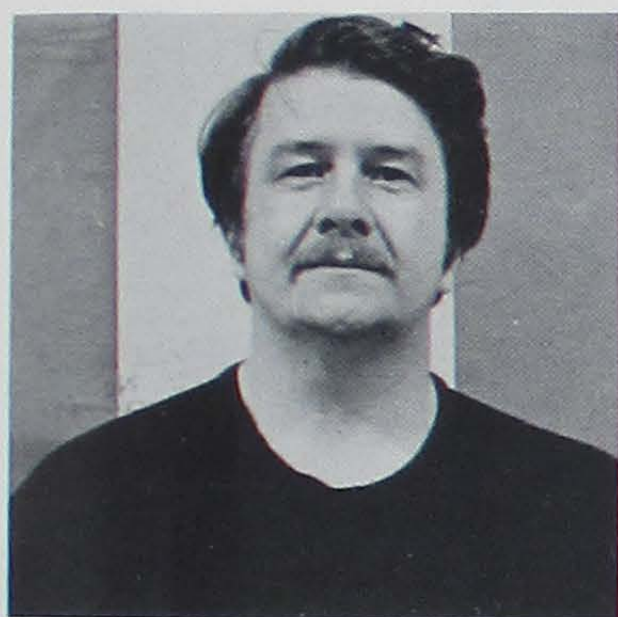


Ninth grade wrestlers—Back row, left to right; Steve Stritzel, Nels Matthews, Steve Anderson, Dan Hall, Gary Cook, Dan Coy, Steve Bouge, Tim Carney, Steve Stephan, Tad Wiser, Manager Susan Harris, Second row, left to right; Mike Ricci, Kent Carlson, Bob Wilson, Scott Griffen. Front row, left to right; Tyler Firkins, Mike Long, Bruce Pedigo, Pete Cyr, Mark Konek, Charlie Verhoeven.

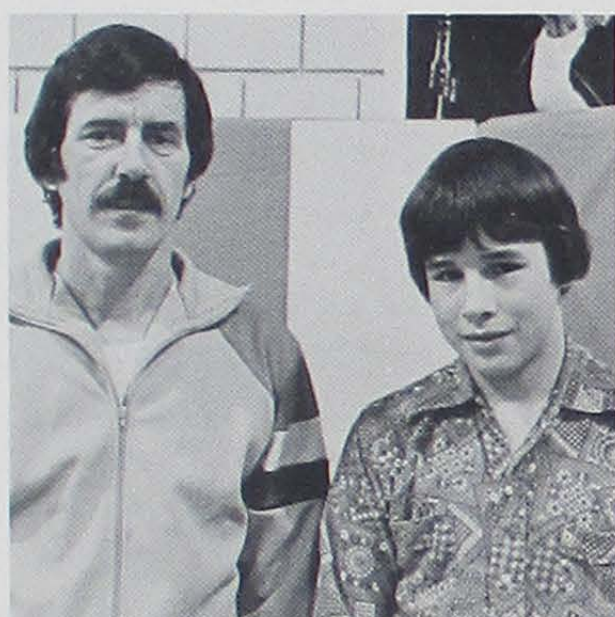
The ninth grade wrestlers had a 4 win, 8 loss season. Mr. Amfahr was the coach and when asked if he enjoyed it, he replied, "Yes, I always enjoy it." He felt the 24 member team worked hard and pulled together.

NINTH WRESTLING



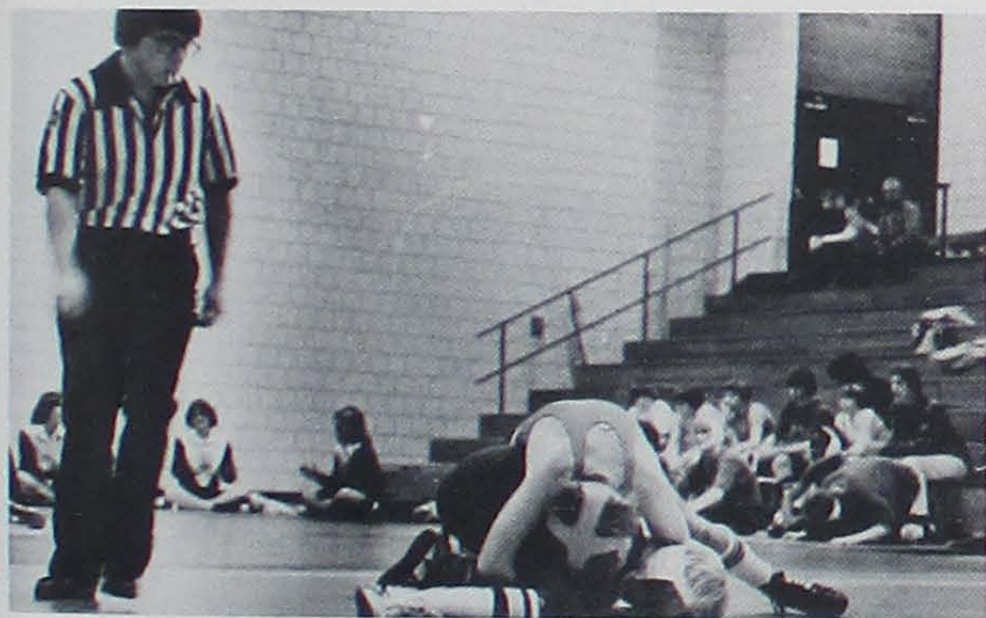


Coach Bredeson

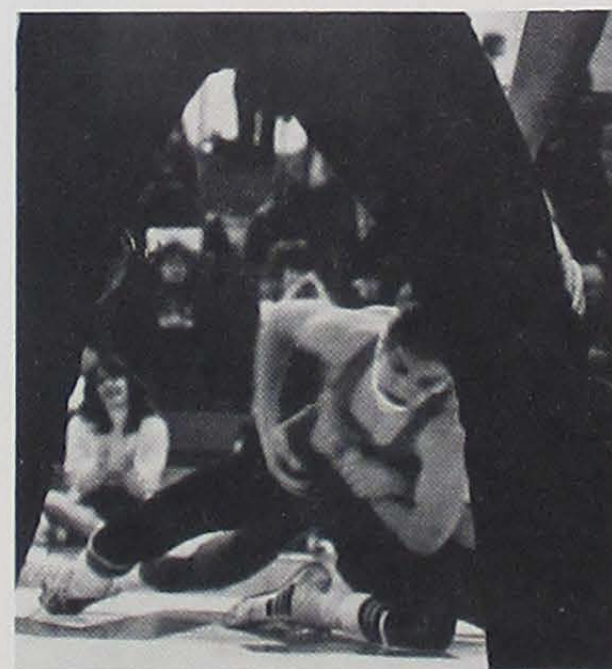


Coach Amfahr and Scott Stephens

Eighth Grade Wrestlers. First row, left to right: Scott Anderson, Hogan Martin, Todd Nordin, John Amfahr, Brian Cook, Troy Jones. Second row, left to right: Steve Summerfelt, Steve Metzger, Dan Carney, Jeff Glock, Tim Richardson. Back row, left to right, Robbie Ammann, Chris Flynn, Alan Pulsifer, Brad Spratt, Don Eddy, Randy Abel, Jeff Wearth, Ben Gilchrist, Jim Hofer, Kurt Konek, and Tad Stillwell.



EIGHTH WRESTLERS



When asked about this year's wrestling season Mr. Bredeson had some regrets. He explained why, "This year has been a real learning situation. It was the first time the eighth grade wrestlers competed interscholastically. Also, it was the first time for weight classes." When asked about school support, Mr. Bredeson replied, "We don't get many big crowds, but that's mainly because everyone is involved in their own activities. Although we did have a fan bus to the tournament." He went on to say, "I feel that all extra-curricular activities are important to a school education, not only sports, but music and drama as well."

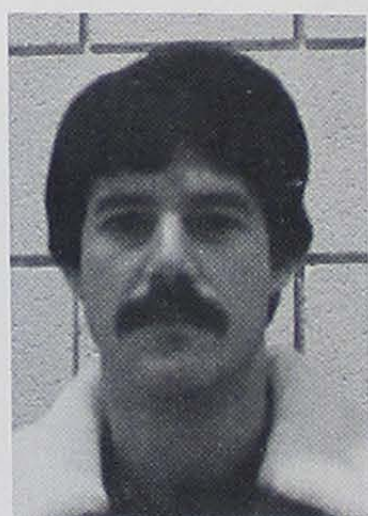
Mr. Bredeson continued carefully, "This group of eighth graders has a chance to make up an outstanding team when they learn the concept of sacrificing themselves for the good of the team."



SEVENTH WRESTLING



Seventh grade wrestlers. Front row, left to right; Thor Methum, Bill Phillips, Donnie Muff, Mike Conzemius, Dave Magmuson, Steve Jons, Chris Larson, Doug Maly, Kneeling Rick Bonnickson. Back row, left to right; Coach Vanderzyl, Jamie Rossmiller, Barry Pannell, Mike Dry, Larry Malcolm, David Clark, David Grebush, Mark Connelly, Jeff Beneke, Jim Torgeson, John Hofer. Absent; Jon Peterson, Damon Young, Manager Dave Koellner.



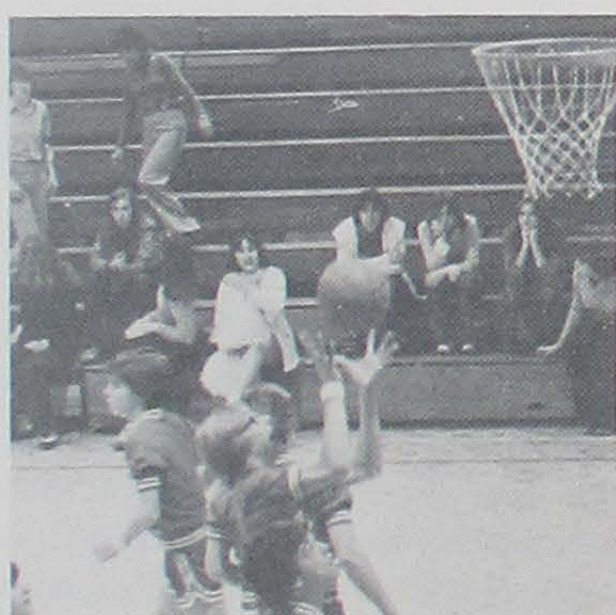
Coach Vanderzyl

Welch's seventh grade wrestlers did real well this year considering the number they had out. The season lasted 8 weeks in which they wrestled Central three times and in the Jamboree. Only 21 members were out this year so it was all quality and no quantity. It was on an intramural basis and everyone worked hard. Mr. Vanderzyl said he was very pleased and had a good time.

NINTH BOYS' BASKETBALL



Back row; left to right, Lisa Brown, manager, Coach Lippe, Phil Brackelsberg, Jeff Sturdivant, Joe Teague, Brian Smith, Craig Cunningham, Mr. Duval, Anne Grant and Laura Rickard, Managers. Front row; Mark Hanson, Leigh Jenison, Don Tryon, Paul Comer, Lance Evans, Jeff Mann, Tony Michel, Mike Madden, Tom Sprowell, Bob Jacobsen, Brian Meals, Scott Rossmiller, Kenny Lane, Darwin Trickle, Jeff Sutherland.



Even though the 9th cagers record was 4-8, they shot a hot 43% from the field and pulled 36-40 rebounds off the boards each game. The Welch team lost to Miller, the no. 1 team in the block by only one point, and they played good ball against every other team they played.

8TH BOYS' VARSITY BASKETBALL



Back row: Joe Dutmer, Pete Matthews, Barb Parsons, Cathy Adams, Byron Hathcock, Mark Joenson, Rick Pruhs, Norman Rutz, Second Row: Brad Ridnour, Chris Schabel, Jim Munson, Troy Lyscio, Robby Knight, John Cheville, Antwan Clinton, Todd Jahr, John Stuve, Maggie Boles. First Row: Tyler Thoen, Robert Shahidi, Rick Henderson, Larry Miller, Greg Sims, Chris Rudy, Robbi Hannusch.

		A	B	C
Dec. 15	Welch		21	45
	Perry		30	16
Dec. 17	Welch	16	34	
	Central	39	31	
Jan. 7	Welch	32	45	
	Nevada	50	16	
Jan. 22	Welch	39	25	
	Bonne	38	43	
Jan. 21	Welch	38		
	Berg	42		
Jan. 28	Welch	50		
	Anson	55		
Feb. 4	Welch	41		
	Miller	38		
Feb. 11	Welch	43		
	Nwtn. Central	48		
Feb. 14	Welch	30		
	Lenihan	23		
Feb. 16	Welch	21	24	
	Central	33	38	



Mr. Little was the coach for eighth grade boy's varsity basketball this year. "The record doesn't show how hard they worked," he said. They showed a lot of improvement and maturity throughout the season. The boys gained on basic skills. By the middle of the season their teamwork had improved 100%. There were no quitters and all had a good attitude. Mr. Little said he had fun.

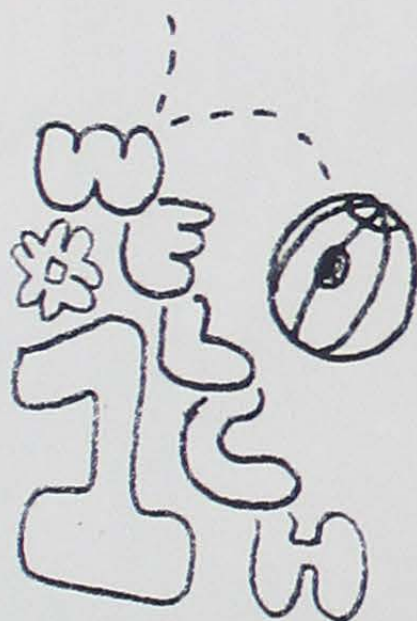
NINTH GIRLS' BASKETBALL



First Row, left to right; Peggy Sanders, Ann Wessman, Sally Shaver, Sabrina Madsen, Mel Swanson, Cindy Hobson, Laura Carlson, Bonnie Hammer, Mary Thompson. Second Row, left to right; Asst. Coach Miss Hansen, Mary Martin, Michelle McKinney, Robin McHone, Lisa Meeden, Julie Fenton, Karen Burgason, Jennifer Martin, Sheila Coady, Renee Crockett, Kim Lemkuhl, Jane Gradwohl, Angela Bendorf, Coach Black.

Ninth Grade Girls Varsity Basketball

WELCH	OPPONENT
58 - 53	Central
42 - 54	Berg
55 - 42	Anson
56 - 47	Miller
46 - 37	Jefferson
52 - 49	W. Marshall
60 - 93	Newton Central
59 - 70	Lennihan
49 - 64	Ankeney
51 - 61	Nevada
63 - 31	Webster City
46 - 25	Saydel



The girls basketball program started out with 32 girls out. After 2 weeks of the season, the squad was cut to 20 including both A & B teams. The teams started the season strong, winning five of their first six games, had a let down in the middle of the season, but finished strong winning two of their last three games. Mr. Black said all girls showed improvement.

8TH GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL



The eighth girls varsity basketball was a "fun, cute, darling bunch of girls" according to Mr. Clinton. He felt they had a good attitude on and off the courts which helped them have a 9 win, 0 loss season. Another key to their success was that most of the girls dedicated themselves to playing basketball in and out of school.

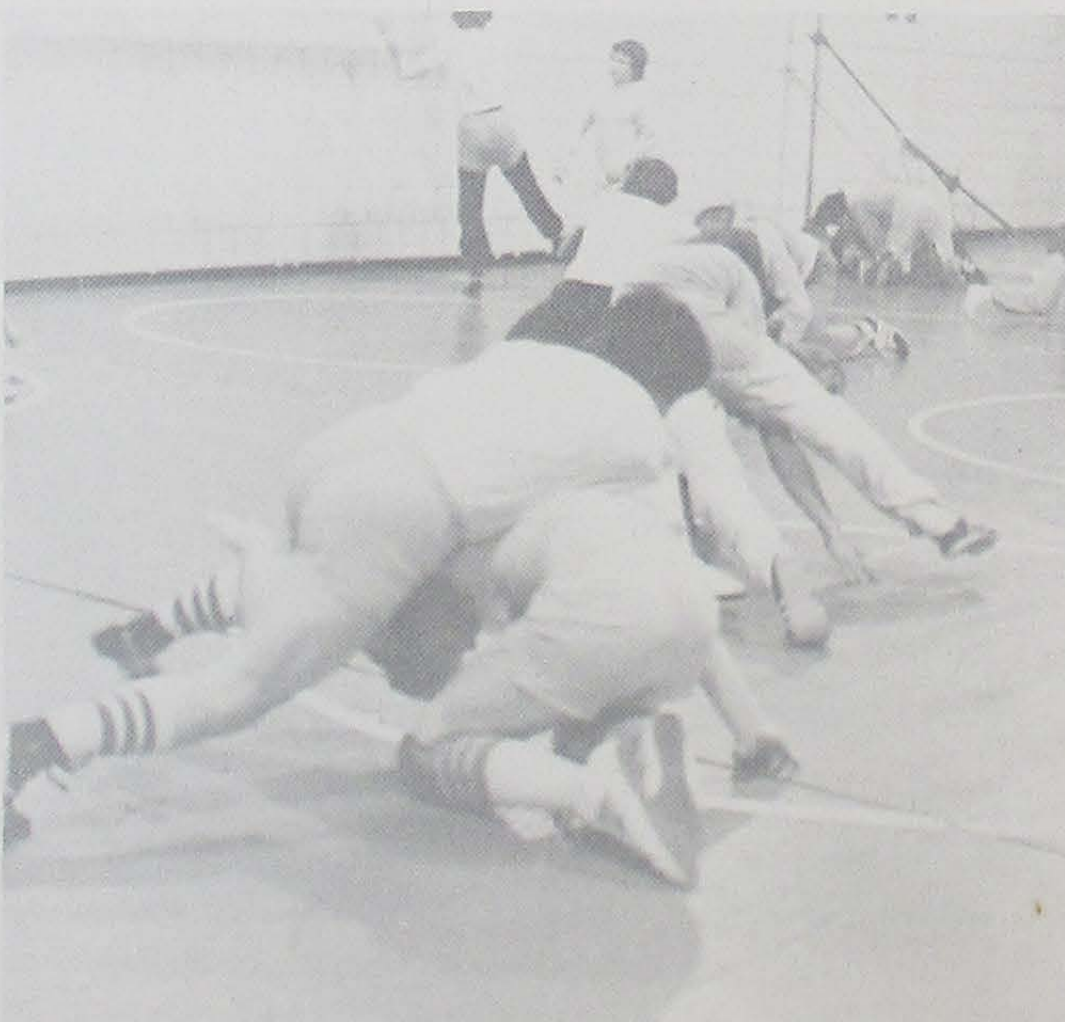
Back Row; Mr. Clinton, Carol Watkins, Elizabeth Hotchkiss, Carla Stevens, Janet Glatfely, Karen Jennings, Beverly Brown, Carrie Williams, Carla David. Second Row; Anna Rhodes, Nancy Johannis, Linda Wiersen, Beth Gerstein, Melanie Black, Susan Jones, Laura Thompson, First Row; Julie Radosevich, Jane Buss, Karen Ross, Shelly Griffiths, Julie Foell, Cheryl Raper, Paula Bracklesburg, Michelle Mengling.

8TH-9TH GIRLS INTRAMURALS



Mr. Rosheim said the eighth and ninth girls intramural program was very successful. There were about 40 girls out this year. They had a playday with Central and a Jamboree which were both successful as well. During regular practices they did skills and drills and played league games which were fun.

Back Row; LuAnn Saddoris, Shawn McCoy, Charlene Ross, Ann Melton, Michelle Oulman, Carla Kaeberle, Misty Stokka, Margit Sletten, Kathy Winkler, Valerie Barnes, Gina Blau, Mr. Rosheim First Row; Lisa Yoney, Laura Rickard, Suzanne Popelka, Karin Paulsen, Melissa Barnes, Shana Gilette, Berna Brown, Debbie Greiner.



SPORTS CANDIDS

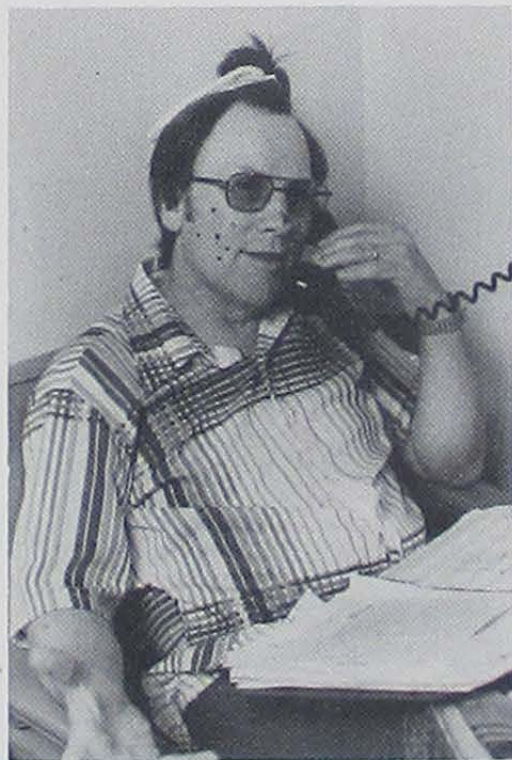
LIFE AT WELCH



I dropped my pole!



My, how interesting!!



Hello, Funny Farm??



How's your LOVE LIFE??



Isn't this fun?????!!

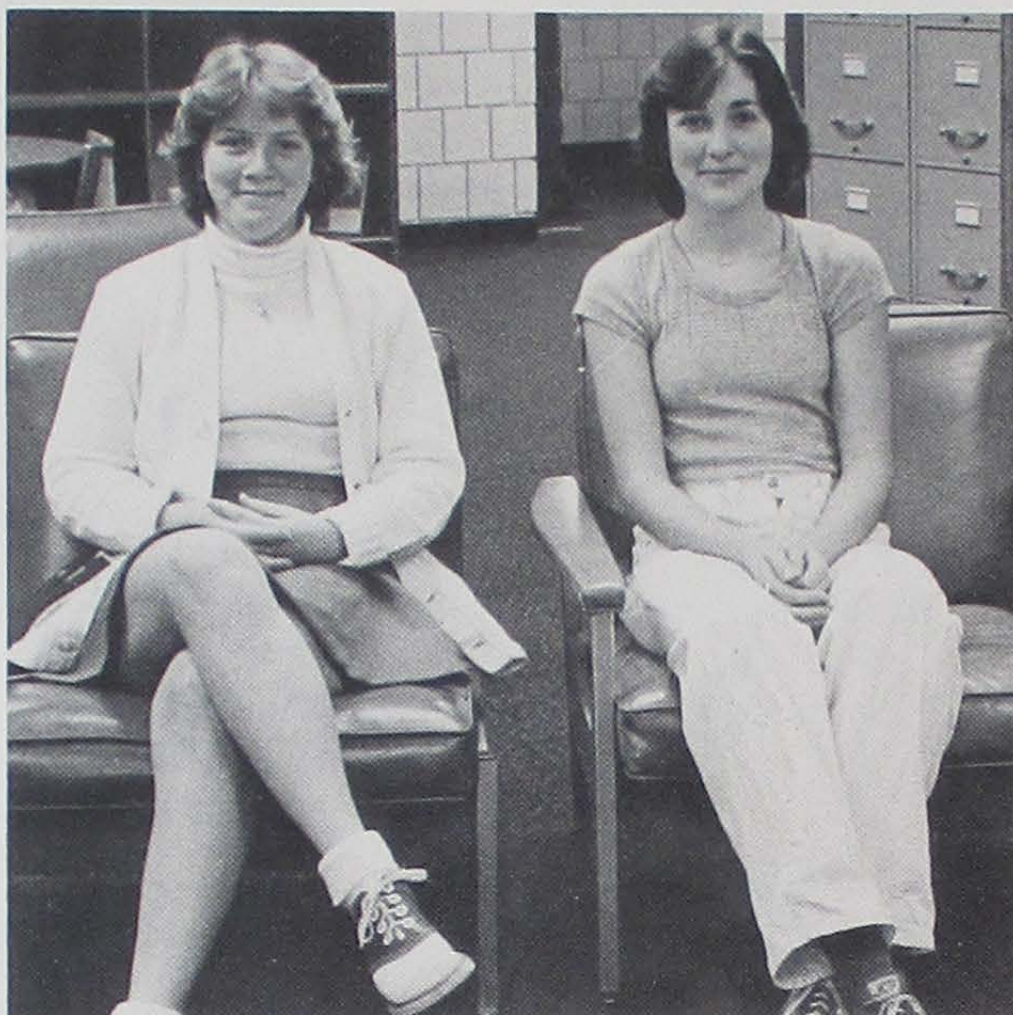
STUDENT BODY OFFICERS

FIRST SEMESTER



Laura Carlson and Sheila Coady

SECOND SEMESTER



Deb Frye and Peggy Sanders

COMMUNITY LEADERS VISIT WELCH



Welch students have a great many opportunities to hear from leaders of the community. Above, Senator John Murray speaks to the eighth grade block on state and national concerns.

FIRST SEMESTER S.A.C.



First semester S.A.C. Front row, left to right; Kim Lemkuhl, Marilyn McCormack, Karen Ross, Janet Glotfelty, Eve Kennedy, Jane Walsh, Angela Bendorf. Second row, left to right; Kathi Adams, Joan Dunham, Jane Kramer, Carla Stevens, Joel Manatt. Third row, left to right; Leanne Theile, Lisa Brown, Laura Barta, Jim Kleinschmidt, John Thompson. Fourth row, left to right; Steve Stritzel, Jane Spurgeon, Julie Jensen, Greg Sims, Jackie O'Brien, Jane Gradwohl, Michelle Mingling. Fifth row, left to right; Eric Foss, Brad Johnston, Scott Robinson, Janelle Jameson.

SECOND SEMESTER S.A.C.



Second semester S.A.C. Front row, left to right; Chip Wass, Tory Stilwell, Audrey Theis. Second row, left to right; Sue Forthman, Julie Hartman, Beth Dobson, Bev Brown, Nathan Rosheim, Michelle Mingling. Third row, left to right; Kim Lemkuhl, Melissa Barnes, Jemny Lemish, Karen Paulson, Shelly Griffiths. Fourth row, left to right; B. J. Slater, Doug Cowles, Eve Kennedy, Laura Barta, Jim Cook, Kathy Keenan, Kelly Burrell, Danielle Clinton, Nat Wolins, Larry Malcolm, Erin Griffiths, Michelle McKinney, Norman Rutz, Monica Zaffarano. Last row, left to right; Tyler Firkins, Tom Dry.

I.M.C.



I.M.C. Club. Back row, left to right; Diane Schumann, Matt Trump, Kevin Schulke, Mike Anderson, Eric Solheim, Mrs. Chipman. First row, left to right; Jenny Edwards, Sabrina Madsen, Nancy Peters, Le Van Kim Thi, Renee Richardson, Michelle Robinson, Suzy Skalecke-Chaplik, Mary Martin, Cara Gunnells.

SERVICE CLUBS



A. V.

A-V Club. Left to right; John Huss, Bill Madden, David Clark, Suresh Hariharan, Sarah Finnemore. Not pictured: Chris Flynn, Mike Hammond.

TEMPEST STAFF



Tempest staff. Back row, left to right: Sally Shaver, Margit Sletten, Laurie Pletcher, Tami Rood, Laura Carlson, Scott Nelson, Paul Zingg, Dave Gillette. Front row, left to right: Jackie Courteau, Denise Reynolds, Anne Mangold, Andy Montag, Allison Elder, Mary Martin, Grant Morales. Not pictured: Steve Anderson.



Tempest staff at work?????



Students work at store.

GENERAL BUSINESS



First semester General Business. First row, left to right: Doug Cowles, Jane Walsh, Angela Bendorf, Grant Bendorf, Grant Morales, Kim Carr. Second row: Mark Greiner, Tom Sprowell, Mike Anderson, Cara Gunnells, Third row: Kevin Kniss, Jeff Mann, Laura Barta, Randy Malcolm, Mike Madden, Tim Mayer.



Second Semester General Business. First row, left to right: Laura Rickard, Kim Van Le, Becky Sutter, Ann Wessman. Second row: Tyler Firkins, Steve Stephan, Clark Huinker, Brad Lamp, Jeff Carlson, Steve Bogue.



Football Squad—Back Row from left to right; Connie Kinczewski, Eve Kennedy, Janet Glotfelty, Julie Foell. 3rd. Row; Mrs. Bartlett, Laura Carlson, Joni O'Brien, Robin McHone. 2nd. Row; Jane Gradwohl, Kathy Adams, Michele McKinney, Mary Thompson. Front Row; Mary Shaver, Mary Griffiths, Susan Jones, Beth Gerstein.



Girls Basketball Squad—Back Row from left to right; Tami Mickelson, Monica Zaffarano, Valerie Barnes, Susie Keenan. Front Row; Diane Peters, Selin Suarez, Cathie Lijewski, Marilyn McCormack.



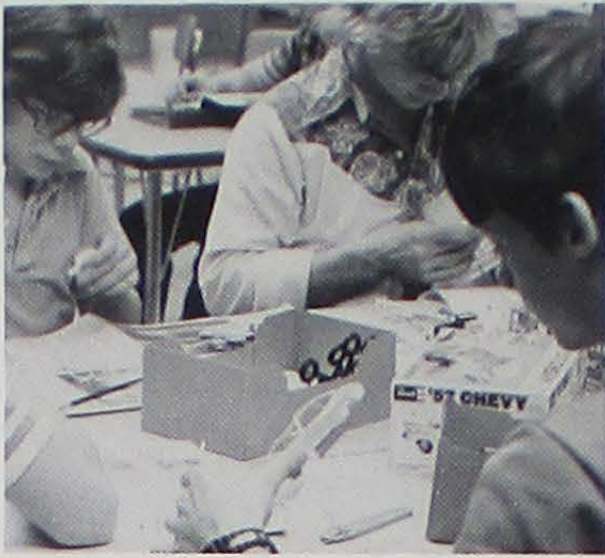
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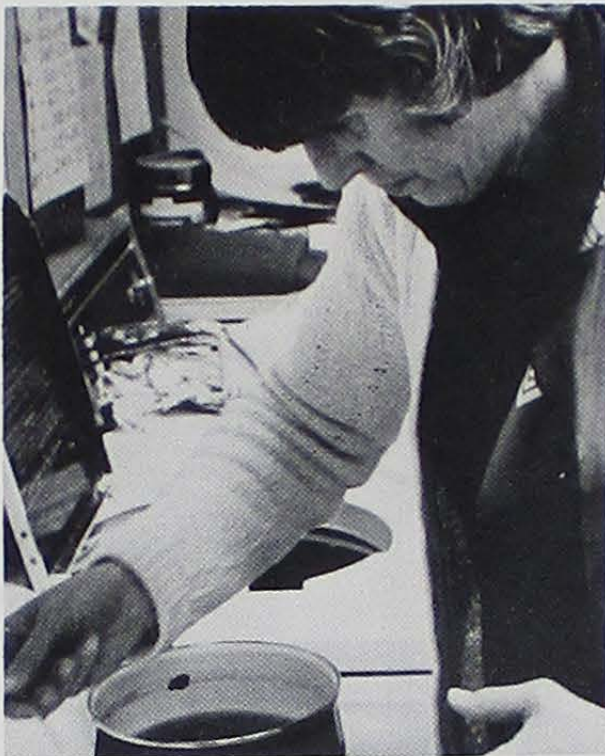
Boys Basketball Squad—Back Row from left to right; Kelly Flesch, Jane Kramer, Julie Jensen, Ann Harris. Front Row; Carla Luft, Debbie Frye, Michelle Mercier, Beth Pulsifer.



Wrestling Squad—Back Row from left to right; Kristy Davis, Kristi Mickelson, Susan Borgen, Stacy Bartz. Front Row; Miriam Campos, Beth Stromen, Jane Walsh, Deb Hall.



INTEREST CLUBS



Some of the interests clubs pictured above are: beginning guitar, foreign foods, table games, bridge, models, and free reading.

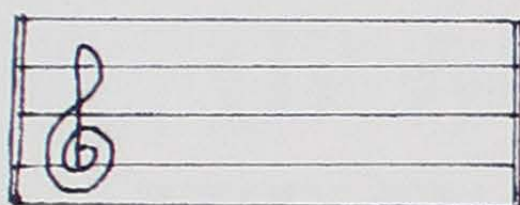
CHORUS



Seventh grade



Miss Boylan



Both choruses, under the able direction of Miss Boylan, participated in the Christmas concert. The theme was songs from many different countries. The eighth and ninth grade chorus sang songs from Germany, France, and Czechoslovakia along with several others. A few of the songs the seventh grade chorus sang were from Wales, Italy, and Israel.

Another concert is scheduled for sometime in May. Both choruses will participate.

In addition to the two concerts, many chorus members were involved in this year's musical, *THE HOBBIT*.

All in all, this has been a very successful year for chorus.



Eighth and ninth grade

BAND



EIGHTH AND NINTH



SEVENTH BAND

SWING CHOIR



Front Row; left to right: Lana Marty, Sally Shaver, Renee Richardson, Denise Reynolds, Debbie Anderson, Kay Stephenson. Second Row; left to right: Mary Griffiths, Maria Osborn, Diane Bond, Karin Paulsen, Marilyn McCormack, Gina Blau, Mary Martin, Kara Knox. Third Row; left to right: Dwight Dake, Michelle Robinson, Donna Brown, Sabrina Madsen, Tami Rood, Shawn McCoy. Back Row; left to right: Miss Boylan, Dave Iversen, Betsy Clubine, Janet Glotfelty, Elizabeth Hotchkiss, Jenny Lemish.



The Swing Choir was directed by Miss Boylan for the first time this year, and they did a good job at the Spring Concert.

The Welch Orchestra was conducted by Mr. McCoy as it has been for several years. They are a small but enthusiastic group.



ORCHESTRA



Front Row; left to right: Kim Lehmkuhl, Marilyn McCormack, Joan Dunham, Pam Carlsborg, Jim Kleinschmidt, John Huss, Lisa Carney, Julie Hartman, Debbie Andersen. Second Row; left to right: Carol Bachmann, Denise Reynolds, Allison Elder, Charles Throckmorton, Renee Richardson, Janet Glotfelty, Kay Stephenson, Laurie Pletcher, Karla Kaeberle, Paula Bracklesburg, Jim Beckwith, Charlie Verhoeven, Paul Comer, Eric Lassila, Barry Parnell, Karin Paulsen, Andrea Crabb, Megan McCoy. Third Row; left to right: Scott Andersen, Doug Kaufmann, Susan Ratcliff, Shawn McCoy.



the ninth grade ski trip awards?
 the Valentine cookies?
 the gong show?
 Lisa B.'s five pounds of popcorn?
 Karen P.'s birthday chicken?
 washing the desks in the seventh grade block?
 Mr. Krull's magical, mystical Burger King dance?
 Mrs. Pier's charleston dance?
 Mr. Little's, "If I were you, I would know?"
 the sweetheart assembly?
 homeroom 909's "Tom Boskey Fan Club?"
 all the great times we had at Welch?

DO YOU REMEMBER . . .

when Mr. Little didn't break something during a demonstration?
 when Dr. Eilts directed the band?
 when Annie G. and Ann W. raced on their hands and knees down the hallway?
 when Mr. Bredeson fell asleep during silent reading?
 when Mr. Lippe's desk was graded?
 when Jeff C. took a bite out of his paper in Mrs. Grant's English class?
 when Ms. Agnew jumped on a table in the artroom?
 when 200 spoons "disappeared" from the lunchroom?
 when Sally S. tripped over the base drum in orchestra?
 when Dan C. dropped his milk and it exploded?
 when Mrs. Franklin was in a good mood?
 when the Tempest staff thought they met a deadline?
 when Welch students had another great year?



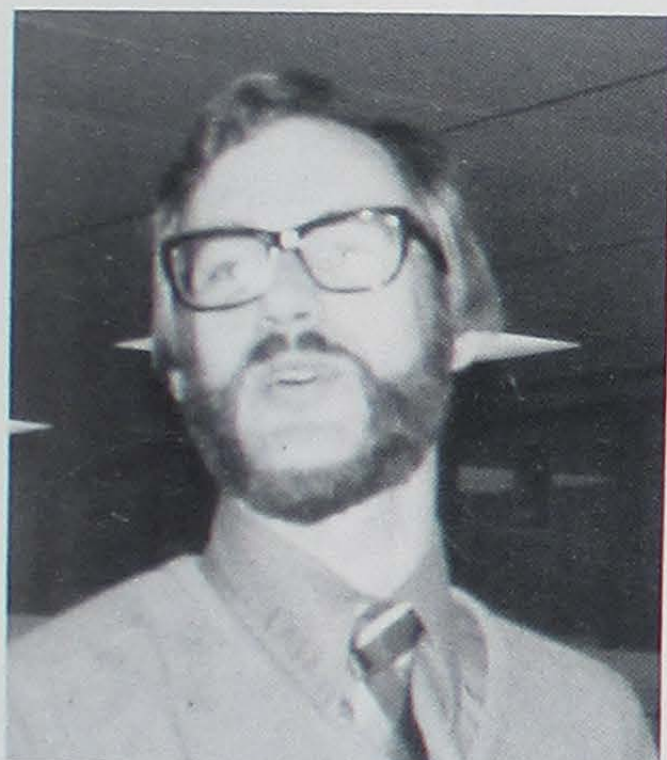
NINTH GRADE CANDID WINNERS



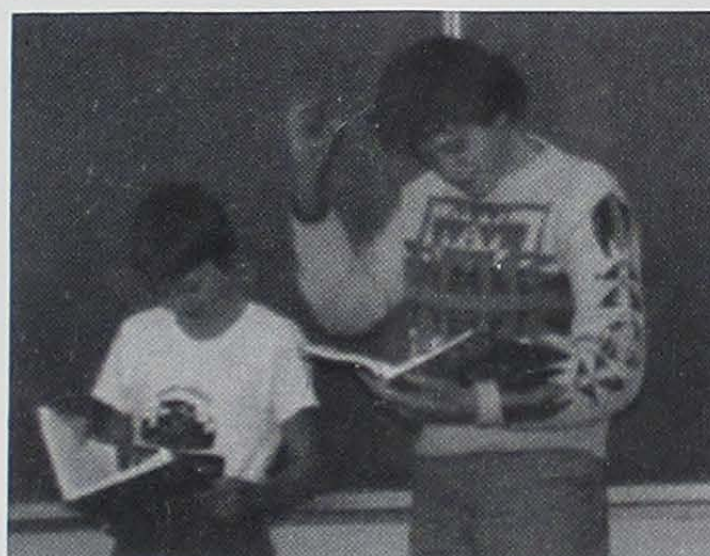
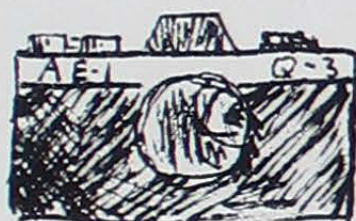
(Candid by Robin McHone)
"Mr. Lippe likes school lunches!"



(Candid by Maria Osborn)
"Visine User"



(Candid by Robin McHone)
"I'm the marvelous magical Burger King"



(Candid by Maria Osborn)
"Look at that CENTERFOLD!!"



(Candid by Marilyn McCormack)
"I'm glad that there wasn't a Swim suit competition."



(Candid by Marilyn Mc Cormack)
"I take it back!! I take it back!"

SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE CANDID WINNERS



(Candid by Kathy Hockett)
"La-de-da"



(Candid by Kathy Hockett)
"Ban Roll-on User"



(Candid by Jackie O'Brien)
"I Flew Up Here"



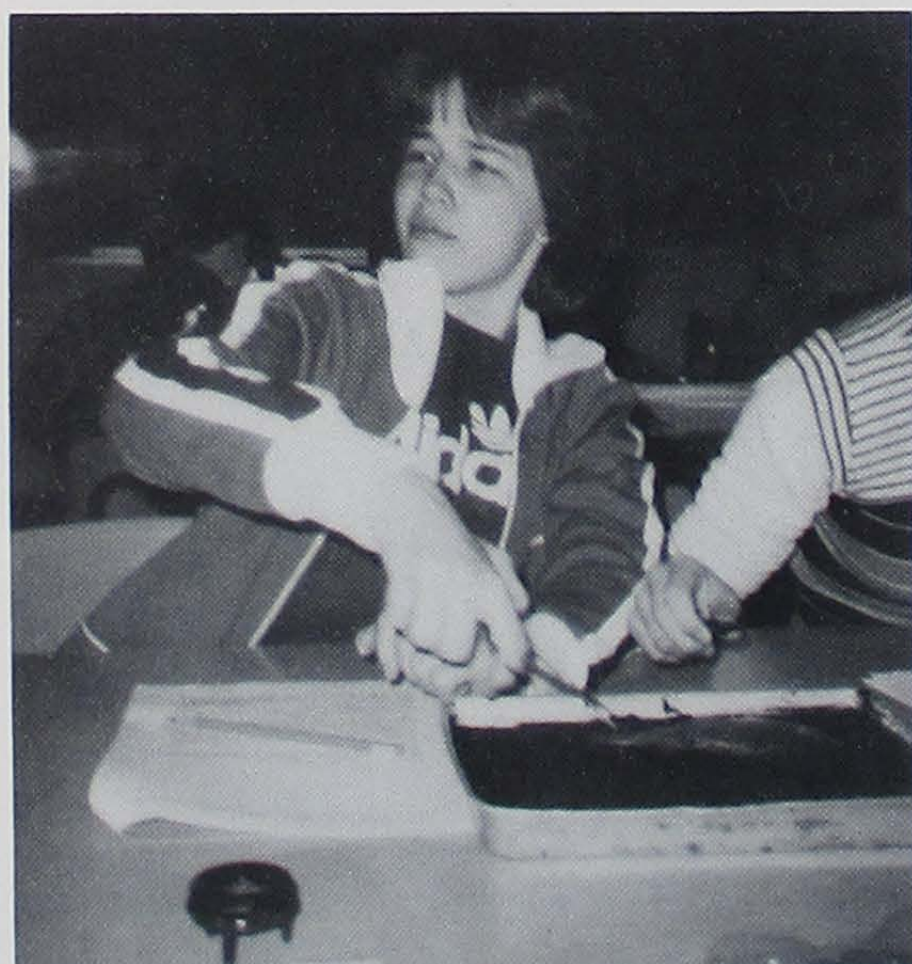
(Candid by Molly Homer)
"Junior Bird Man"



(Candid by Kathy Hockett)
"Mr. Stromens First Period Class?"



(Candid by Scott Anderson)
"Daily Calistenics"



(Candid by Martha Zingg)
"School Lunches"



(Candid By Molly Homer)
"Capital Punishment"



